

City of Seattle

Community Funding Programs

The city of Seattle has a wide variety of funding programs that can help <u>you</u> make Seattle a great place to live, work, and play. There are funds to support physical enhancements, the arts, youth, technology, community-organizing, and environmental projects in the community.

Read below for brief information about each of the programs.



NEIGHBORHOOD PROJECTS FUND

Funds of up to \$90,000 used for small-scale improvements to neighborhood streets or for major park maintenance projects (coordinated by Seattle Department of Neighborhoods, Seattle Parks and Recreation, and Seattle Department of Transportation).

ARTS FUNDING PROGRAM

Provides funds to organizations and individuals to support arts and cultural activities through five funding programs (coordinated by the Office of Arts & Cultural Affairs).



SYVPI COMMUNITY MATCHING GRANT

Provides matching funds of up to \$20,000 to neighborhood organizations for projects serving youth participating in the Seattle Youth Violence Prevention Initiative (SYVPI) (coordinated by SYVPI/Office for Education).

NEIGHBORHOOD MATCHING FUND

Provides matching funds to neighborhood groups and organizations for neighborhood-initiated improvement, organizing, or planning projects. Awards range from \$250 to \$100,000 (coordinated by Seattle Department of Neighborhoods).



TECHNOLOGY FUNDING

Provides two funding programs to organizations to increase technology literacy and access and to enhance electronic civic participation (coordinated by Department of Information Technology).



Provides free trees, water bags, training, and ongoing support to Seattle residents in an effort to increase the city's tree canopy (coordinated by Seattle Public Utilities).



ENVIRONMENTAL GRANT PROGRAMS

Provides funding to promote collaboration between the city and the community to improve our environment and help make Seattle a healthier, cleaner and greener city (coordinated by Seattle Public Utilities).



Provides funding for community-initiated park development or property acquisition. Projects are completed by Seattle Parks and Recreation.



NEIGHBORHOOD STREET FUND LARGE PROJECTS

Funds used for large scale transportation projects (over \$100,000) that are proposed by the community. Projects are completed by Seattle Department of Transportation.



Below is contact information for each funding opportunity or visit www.seattle.gov/grants.

NEIGHBORHOOD PROJECTS FUND

General information: 206-684-0719

Parks-related projects: Susanne Rockwell, 206-684-0902 Street-related projects: John Vander Sluis, 206-684-4617

ARTS FUNDING PROGRAM

CityArtist Projects: Irene Gomez, 206-684-7310 Civic Partners: Kathy Hsieh, 206-733-9926 Cultural Facilities: Kathy Hsieh, 206-733-9926

Neighborhood & Community Arts: Jenny Crooks, 206-684-7084

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SYVPI COMMUNITY MATCHING GRANT

Mariko Lockhart, 206-233-7915

NEIGHBORHOOD MATCHING FUND

206-233-0093

TECHNOLOGY FUNDING

Bill Wright Technology Matching Fund: Delia Burke, 206-233-2751 Online Boost Grants: Vicky Yuki, 206-233-7877

TREES FOR NEIGHBORHOODS

Jana Dilley, 206-615-1668

ENVIRONMENTAL GRANT PROGRAMS

Waste Prevention & Recycling Matching Grants: Veronica Fincher, 206-233-2534 Food Recovery Infrastructure Grants: Carl Woestwin, 206-684-4684

PARKS AND GREEN SPACES LEVY OPPORTUNITY FUND

Susanne Rockwell, 206-684-0902

NEIGHBORHOOD STREET FUND LARGE PROJECTS

Therese Casper, 206-684-8764

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